AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the Abstract with the following:

A method for designing a control of a complete process (which can have a number of individual processes) can include: identifying functionalities of the individual processes; performing a validation by automatically verifying future interplay of the functionalities in accordance with an input to the complete process and producing a validation result; and determining data for future controlling of the complete process from the validation result. A processor unit can be arranged to carry out such a method.

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